

Griffith
Sulivane
J. W. Thomas

Slemaker
Bishop

Armstrong
Shaw—40

So it was determined in the negative.

Mr. Norris, at the request of the Speaker, occupied the chair.

When on motion by Mr. Speaker, the fourth section of the bill was stricken out, and the following amendment, which he offered, was adopted in lieu thereof, viz.

“Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That the rate of license shall be, for an ordinary keeper 17 dollars for a year, and that the rate of license for a retailer of spirituous liquors, groceries, dry goods, or other merchandize, shall be 12 dollars; provided, and it is hereby declared, to be the intention of this act, that no separate license shall issue for the retailing of dry goods, and that no license or permit shall be granted to any retailer of spirituous liquors, groceries, dry goods, or other merchandize, for a less term than one year.”

The fourth and fifth amendments, reported by the committee on ways and means, were then severally agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Campbell, the first and second sections were reconsidered and amended, by striking out the words “being freeholders,” after the word “inhabitants,” where they were inserted on the motion of Mr. Barnes as above stated.

On motion by Mr. Chapman, the following amendment was twice read and adopted, as an additional section, to come in at the close of the bill, viz.

“And be it enacted, That the penal provisions of the second section of the act, passed at December session 1819, chapter 184. are hereby in force on all persons who shall retail any article of dry goods, groceries or spirituous liquors, without such license.”

The question was then propounded, Shall this bill pass, as amended? The yeas and nays being required by seven members, were taken and appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Speaker
Hawkins
Millard,
Gough
R. Thomas
Wilmer
Campbell
Boon
Ringgold
Stewart
Compton

Price
Buchanan
Turner
Reyner
Denny
Banning
Done
Dennis
Gibbons
Teackle
Goldsborough,

Slemaker
Bishop
Hitch
Barnes
Farquhar
Sappington
M'lhenry
Hope
Sutton
Montgomery
Hardcastle